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**PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION  
OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(A))**

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a one month extension of time to respond to the non-final  
Office Action dated May 3, 2004. The original time for response was set to expire August 3,  
2004.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this  
communication to deposit account no. 50-1901 (Reference No. 490042-87).

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